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REMARKS

Claims 1-20 remain in the application. Claims 7-20 have been allowed at the interview dated February 13, 2006, claim 1 has now been amended to more clearly claim the invention. Support for the amendment is at page 9, line 21 - page 10, line 1, and at page 10, lines 17-19. The Cress-Reference to Related Application at page 1, line 5 has been amended to reference related U.S. Patent No. 6,421,416 and 6,301,328. No new matter is added.

In view of the above amendment, there now no proper basis fro the outstanding rejection of claims 1-6. All claims 1-20 are believe to be in condition for allowance.

No additional costs are believed to be due in connection with the filing of this paper. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees that may be required, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 50-2678.

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